

## Two Women of LaMonte Are Still Missing

### State Highway Patrol Busy Today Checking Clues

State Highway Patrol officers are continuing to check and recheck clues as to the whereabouts of Mrs. Pearl Fairfax, 59, and her daughter, Mrs. Mollie Mattie Gross Holland, 36, wife of Edgar V. Holland, who have been reported missing since the first part of April. The Democrat reporter learned this morning that Captain J. F. Shaw, acting for Colonel Stanley Ginn, who is ill, and Captain O. L. Viets, commanding officer of Troop A and other state patrol officers were in Sedalia early this morning, continuing the investigation with the local state troopers Lloyd Amos and Peter Stohr.

The headless bodies of the two women found near Camdenton, on the Lake of the Ozarks, have not been identified as yet. Many clues and information are being furnished the patrol, but as yet no positive identification of the bodies has been made. State patrolmen could not be reached today to ascertain further developments regarding the case or if any of the information they had obtained will definitely establish any connection with the disappearance of Mrs. Fairfax and Mrs. Holland.

**Believes They Are With Relatives**

A Democrat-Capital reporter talked with Mr. Holland Monday evening and at that time he stated he was confident that his mother-in-law may have gone to Florida to visit a sister and that his wife was in Texas. "I can't believe in my own mind that the bodies, found at the lake on April 16 and 17 have any connection with them. My wife last summer went to Texas to visit and was there for several days before I knew definitely she had gone there."

"Mrs. Fairfax has a sister in Florida, of whom she thinks a great deal and I feel that she may have gone there," he stated.

The investigation in the case began in Sedalia after Jesse Fairfax, a stepson of Mrs. Fairfax and a step brother of Mrs. Holland, had become alarmed over not hearing from Mrs. Fairfax. "It isn't like her to just go off and not say anything. She kept in contact with us, coming out for a visit or calling," he said.

Mrs. Fairfax, wife of Jesse Fairfax, stated the last time she saw her step-mother-in-law was on March 21 and that was at the funeral of Raymond Hall, Schien truck driver, who was killed in an accident several days before.

The Democrat-Capital reporter contacted neighbors in the vicinity of the Holland home and they likewise verified the fact that neither Mrs. Fairfax nor Mrs. Holland had been seen for some time. Several were of the opinion that they had just left like Mrs. Holland did last summer on a visit to Texas.

### Unidentified Bodies Found

The mutilated bodies of two women, both headless, found at the lake, one on April 16, the other on April 17, near Camdenton, were taken to Columbia where they are being kept.

The bloodstained, shotgun riddled clothing of the younger woman, according to the reports from Camdenton at the time of the finding, included a homemade apron of coarse material resembling a feed sack. Her smock was blue with an unusual yellow and black design.

The body of the older woman bore no gun wounds, although it was said she might have been shot in the head, which has not been found.

### Bothwell Hospital Notes

Miss Louise Steele, Syracuse and Mrs. William Green, Smithton, admitted for surgery.

Howard Robinson, 1300 South Ohio avenue, Clyde McDonald, 106 south Ohio avenue and Mrs. Margaret Kelly, 1009 East Sixteenth street.

Mrs. S. H. Brown, Kansas City and Mrs. J. E. Bridges, 1422 South Harrison avenue, dismissed.

## The Weather

**MISSOURI** — Partly cloudy and continued warm tonight and Wednesday; scattered thunder showers in northwest and extreme north tonight lowest temperatures tonight near 55; scattered thunder showers and cooler in west and north, partly cloudy southeast Wednesday night and Thursday.

**CENTRAL MISSOURI:** Partly cloudy and continued warm today, tonight and Wednesday.

Temperature: 7 a. m. 64 degrees; 3 p. m. 90 degrees.

Sunrise 5:58 a. m. Sunset 8:19 p. m. Same Moon.

New moon May 22; first quarter moon May 29.

Lake of the Ozarks 1.3 fall 1.

## First Picture of New Offensive in Italy



First photo of the new offensive underway in Italy showing mechanized French and American column entering Cosma E. Damiano (on outskirts of Castelforte) in pursuit of retreating Germans who evacuated the town, unable to withstand the power of the Allied attack. (NEA Telephoto)

## Purple Heart and Oak Leaf Cluster to Sgt. J. C. Rayl

### Youth Receives Souvenir from General

PHILADELPHIA, May 16—(P)—

Eleven-year-old Leo O'Connor

wanted something to show to the

other fellows on his street. So he

wrote to Gen. Dwight Eisenhower,

asking for an "insignia of some

sort." Leo said that yesterday he

received a package and a note

from the invasion commander:

"I am glad to send you a shoul-

der patch I wore in the North

African campaign."

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by Drew Pearson

WASHINGTON, May 16—There has been at lot of discussion inside Republican ranks about the closeness of Herbert Hoover to Tom Dewey. Some are dead against the Hoover influence, claim that the hand of Hoover will blight both Dewey and GOP chances this year. Others are equally strong for Hoover, recalling that, even though defeated by Roosevelt, Hoover rolled up a substantial popular vote in 1932 and remains today one of the elder statesmen of the party.

But whether for or against Hoover, there is no real argument, among those who have watched the wheels go round, about the fact Hoover has been the main spring of the Dewey campaign.

Representative Clare Luce of Connecticut got a sample of this just before GOP leaders met recently in Chicago to organize for the Republican convention.

On the day before the organization meeting (at which Governor Warren of California was selected as the convention's keynote speaker) Mrs. Luce called Hoover on the phone. She told him that several people had suggested that she might be the keynote speaker, and she asked Hoover's advice as to whether she had a chance and what she should do about it.

"No use even bothering about it," Hoover replied. "Warren will be selected tomorrow."

He was.

NOTE.—Another convention speaker selected at Chicago was Hoover himself, not without the blessing of Dewey. Hoover was put across largely through J. Russell Sprague, National Committee man from New York, who acted as Dewey's factotum at Chicago.

#### Protection for Paratroopers

Thanks largely to hard-hitting Senator Kilgore of West Virginia, the war department is now doing its best to put self-sealing gasoline tanks in paratroop-carrying transport planes, also will supply the planes with a certain amount of armor to protect pilots.

After this column revealed that not one, but two groups of U. S. paratroopers over Sicily had been shot down by Allied gunners last July, Senator Kilgore wrote a letter to Secretary of War Stimson, pointing out that many of the paratroopers in the planes never had a chance to bail out, or some of the planes burst into flames while still in midair, due to the fact that the gasoline tanks ignited from anti-aircraft fire. Senator Kilgore pointed out that these paratroop transport planes did not have self-sealing gasoline tanks and asked Stimson to rectify this situation.

Kilgore has now received assurances that self-sealing tanks will be rushed into use on as many transport planes as possible.

There had been a dispute among air officers regarding the use of self-sealing tanks, some of the Brass Hats claiming that they could not be installed in time and that nothing must hold up the invasion. Other air officers argued, however, that U. S. airmen in England had been able to install self-sealing tanks in planes in English garages or any place else, that it was a simple matter and that the job at least should be started.

This latter group, according to assurances given to the West Virginia senator, has now won out.

NOTE.—General "Hap" Arnold head of the air forces, always favored self-sealing tanks and other protection for paratroop transports but his decision was sidetracked. Arnold also is pushing army purchases of the quick-release type of parachute harness, the army having now ordered more than 200,000.

#### Pensioning John O'Connor

There is a good reason why Roosevelt's old enemy, ex-congressman John J. O'Connor, is on the federal payroll as the legal adviser to Tammany congressman Martin Kennedy. If he serves long enough, he can get a New York state pension.

New York law provides that,

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# High Octane Means Air Superiority for Allies; And Less Gas at Home

## 100 OCTANE BEHIND THE FRONT



By S. Burton Heath  
NEA Staff Correspondent

TULSA, Okla.—Main reason for the shortage of gasoline for automobiles is the demand for high octane for the fighting forces. Not only crude oil, the raw material from which our gasoline is made, but also refinery equipment has been diverted to production of 100 octane gasoline.

We are now producing 100 octane gasoline at the rate of more than 400,000 barrels a day, and this output is being increased just as fast as new plants can be rushed to completion. Best available information indicates that this production is ten times the output of all the refineries and synthetic plants in Axis Europe—before 'round the clock strategic bombing began to reduce enemy war facilities.

Air aviation fuel produced by American refineries for the armed services in one day is equivalent to enough gasoline to keep all the passenger cars and trucks in St. Louis going for six weeks of normal travel. Today's Allied 100 octane production is big enough to send 10,000 planes over Berlin every day in the year.

The production of aviation gasoline has been multiplied at least 12 times since Pearl Harbor. This is super-high-octane fuel. Its performance is one reason for the marvelous success of Allied airmen.

The Nazis get by with inferior fuel because that is all they have. They get very good results by using a fuel injection system similar to that on Diesel engines.

Good Guess

In order to forecast the gallonage of fuel that would be needed, the military experts had to guess how many planes we should have, of what types and sizes, and how many hours each would fly under what conditions.

American production genius has turned out more fuel-consumption capacity, in the form of planes, than was anticipated. We have shifted to a larger proportion of bigger planes than anybody could have guessed. Strategic and tactical uses, worked out through experience, have boosted fuel demands.

It was necessary to divert equipment from the making of motor fuel to the making of aviation fuel, in addition to constructing, as fast as manpower and materials permitted, new high-octane plants so huge and so efficient that the layman vies with the expert in admiration.

In spite of this there is a shortage, very real and very pressing. That shortage will continue, at least until the war is ended.

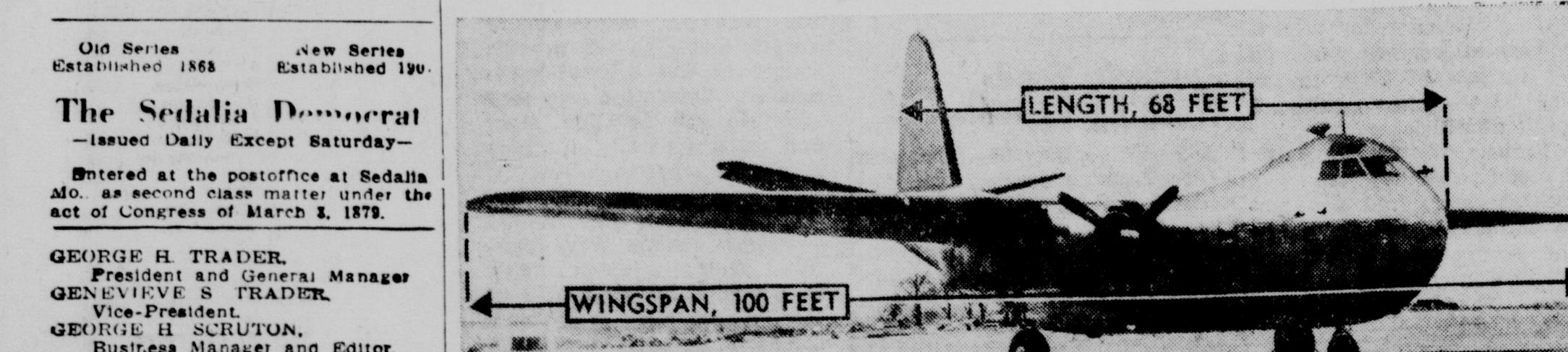
Today, although practicing law in Washington, O'Connor has turned up on the payroll of Congressman Kennedy as his legal adviser. Kennedy is mysterious as to what O'Connor does, but whatever it is, he draws \$2,600 for doing it. And in due time he should qualify for a New York pension.

Missing Girl Now Back Home

Wanda Lee Hibdon, 15, of Stover, who was brought to police headquarters Sunday by the highway patrol, following information that she was missing from home, was taken back to Stover by her parents Monday morning.

She had been missing since May 9 and the Sedalia police were notified by the city marshal of Stover Saturday.

## Giant Cargo Plane Honors 'Covered Wagon'



Here are the first photos of the Navy's giant new cargo plane "Conestoga," hitherto one of the best-kept secrets of the war. It is named after the famed Conestoga wagon, which played a major role in the settlement of America's western frontiers. Built by the Edward G. Budd Manufacturing Co., the plane is a brand-new type, with fuselage covered with welded stainless steel instead of the usual riveted aluminum alloy sheets. The Conestoga is capable of transporting 10,400 pounds of cargo over a range of 650 miles, housing load in compartment 25 feet long, eight feet high and eight feet wide. Photo at top shows plane, with overall dimensions. That at left shows huge size of the nose, in contrast to WAVE and WAC below it.

## Just Town Talk

THE OTHER Morning A SEDALIA Business WOMAN CALLED A Taxi IN WHICH TO RIDE TO Her PLACE OF BUSINESS LIKE MOST Everyone ELSE THESE Days THERE WERE Many LITTLE THINGS TO BE DONE BEFORE SHE Left THE HOUSE WHEN THE Taxi ARRIVED SHE DASHED Out TO GET In THEN DECIDED SHE'D BETTER TAKE HER Coat AND WENT Back TO GET IT SHE CAME BACK TO THE Taxi THE SECOND Time SAT Down Comfortably ONLY TO Glance DOWN AND DISCOVER THAT INSTEAD OF HOLDING THE COAT SHE WAS Merely HOLDING THE COAT HANGER THE COAT WAS IN The House "HANGING ON THE FLOOR" I THANK YOU

'Poor Adolf! I'm Glad I'm Not in His Fix!"



## TAKE AWAY THE LADY

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**THE STORY:** Captain Azarski commands of N.Y.U. Prison in Yokohama, Capital of Japan, of the R.A.F., presumably interned but actually a Japanese agent; and Tidus Courtright, American, and Americans are planning a sort of some sort. Their plot involves Lieutenant Link, Lt. Norma Greer, interned American, Link is a spy with him, and Norma are taken on an automobile ride with Azarski and Courtright.

"Dolls?" said Link.

COURTRIGHT nodded. "Glorious dolls. Dolls made of chrysanthemums, on wire frames, amazing little figures. The dearest things. And they arrange them in tableaus of traditional or historical significance." She leaned forward and tapped Azarski's shoulder. "Captain, could we find a chrysanthemum doll for Link?"

"Sure, you bet," said Azarski.

"Link grinned at Norma.

"I want to say: I'm sure you are more lovely than any chrysanthemum doll."

"Say it, Link," said Courtright. "Go ahead, say it. Take it from me, flattery is never corny to a woman."

"I guess so," Norma agreed.

"You keep out of this, Courtright," Link said. "Wasn't I doing all right?"

Norma was laughing. She was radiant.

"By gosh, I believe you're right," said Link to Courtright.

"Look, she's wonderful when she's laughing, isn't she?"

"Norma said, "The early fall of the year in Japan is the most pleasant of the seasons."

Courtright immediately turned loose one of her lectures on Japan.

"Link, you've heard about the cherry blossom time in Japan, from March through May," she said.

"But I'll bet nobody has told you about the fall. The fall is the best. Look at those trees yellow with the bright foliage, the maples. And the flowers, the chrysanthemums."

She sighed. "Norma is right about the fall being the best. The autumn herbs, the susuki, or Chinese miscanthus, the campanula and the flowering kikyo, and the Dutch pants."

**(To Be Continued)**

## Mrs. Roosevelt To Address Clothing Makers

WASHINGTON, May 16—(P)—

Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt disclosed Monday that she plans to go to Chicago Thursday to address the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America convention, which she referred to as "Sidney Hillman's convention."

## ANNOUNCEMENT

### Dr. Herbert B. Hunter

DENTIST

has taken over the offices of the late Dr. Charles H. Weaver, Room 241 Phone 1528 Ilgenfritz Bldg. Sedalia, Mo.

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The Democrat-Capital is authorized to announce Archie A.

Tuesday, August 1, 1944.

## TODAY

Eyes that have been neglected for years are headed for trouble. There is no better time than NOW to give them the care and attention they deserve.

Dr. Geo. T. Lively—Dr. Lawrence S. Geiger

OPTOMETRISTS

Herbert A. Seifert, Optician

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## Political Announcements

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## Hold Candle Service At S. C. High School

### Impressive Event In The Week of Commencement

The impressive annual Candle Service, one of the commencement week events of Smith-Cotton high school, was held at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon at the school auditorium.

After a bugle call the senior and junior classes marched in, the graduates to the right and the juniors down the left aisle. Leading the two processional lines were the officers and outstanding members of the classes who proceeded to the stage, the remaining members being seated in reserve sections on either side of the auditorium.

Accompaniment for the traditional songs of the service were played by the high school orchestra.

Greetings were given by Don Lamm, Jr., president of the student council, and the class address was made by Charles Eirls, president of the senior class. The response and pledge were by Martin Bradley, president of the junior class who wished good fortune to the seniors.

#### Hand Down Scepter

The queen's scepter was handed down by Frankie June Rodgers of the senior class to Jewell House, queen of the junior class.

Investment of the vice president of the student council was by Betty Rose with Lon Klink, officer-elect taking the pledge of office.

Don Lamm, Jr., president of the

## Mother's Day at Topeka Air Field



Nearly 150 Gold Star Mothers, Army Mothers Club members and mothers and wives of combat crewmen are entertained at the Topeka, Kas., Army Air Field at a special Mother's Day event. Each mother "adopted" a soldier for the day. Here several of the mothers enjoy a jeep ride. (NEA Photo from U. S. A. F.)

student council administered the oath to the president-elect, Raymond Harmon.

In his farewell address Don Lamm likened the flame of candles to the light of knowledge and expressed appreciation, for the graduates, of the opportunities of education and for the assistance of those who had made their study and learning possible.

As the orchestra played softly, Kipling's "God of Our Fathers," Lamm and Raymond Harmon started the lighting of the candles held by those on the stage, and then the students sang one stanza.

Earlier, after the pledges of office, the students and guests in the audience joined in singing "Blest Be the Tie That Binds."

Following the singing of "God of Our Fathers" taps was played by Buddy Arnold with echoes being sounded by Bob Pruitt and Chester Kirkpatrick.

The students left to the recessional, "Now the Day is Over" and after leaving high school building, marched along the Y shaped walk, the juniors to the right and the seniors to the left, and met at the entrance to the building where pictures were taken.

## Kola Club at Koegler Home

The Kola club of Florence met with Mrs. Koegler.

A dinner, to which all had contributed, was served at noon.

Mrs. Joe Kanenbly conducted the business meeting, Mrs. Ernest Wear gave the Scripture reading and the subject of roll call was "What Re-Arrangement I Would Like in My Home." A letter was read by Mrs. Leonard Siegel from the Missouri Women's Field Army asking for a donation for the control of cancer, and the club voted to comply. A poem was read by Mrs. Sam White and Mrs. Wear read a letter, after which the group was dismissed with prayer by Mrs. White.

Much of the day was spent in working on a quilt for the hospital.

The club will meet with Mrs. Edwin Bremer in June.

## WAVE Recruiter Here Wednesday

Recruiter Specialist Edith Relier, of the WAVES, will be in the Sedalia Post Office building on Wednesday, May 17, from 11 a. m. to 3 p. m., to interview girls interested in the Women's Reserve of the Navy.

The Navy now has in excess of 60,000 girls in the WAVES and an additional 40,000 are needed this year. Many splendid training and educational opportunities are available.

Age limits are 20 to 36 and applicants must have at least three years of high school or business school education.

#### Geo. Espelin Has Tonsils Removed

George Espelin, 1207 South Ohio avenue, who underwent a tonsillectomy Monday morning is getting along satisfactorily, but will be confined to his home for about a week.

#### Answer 150th Alarm

Answering the 150th alarm for the year 1944, the fire departments extinguished a pile of burning kindling and old lumber at the home of Charles Keller, 1408 South Park avenue, at 3:44 Monday afternoon. There was no serious loss.

Without the usual camouflage, a Flying Fortress is not only harder to spot against the clouds than a painted plane, but can fly 10 miles an hour faster.

**"I LOST 52 Lbs.!**  
WEAR SIZE 14 AGAIN!"  
MRS. C. D. WELLS, FT. WORTH

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In clinical tests conducted by Dr. J. V. Ardy, 100 persons lost 14 to 15 pounds average in a few weeks with the Ardy Vitamin Candy Reducing Plan.

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## Society

In a quiet ceremony Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock, Miss Mary Evelyn Wear, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wear, 810 West Broadway, became the bride of S/Sgt. Thomas Jerome McNally, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hollenbeck of Tarentum, Pa.

The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Fr. A. J. Brunswick at Sacred Heart church.

The bride wore a navy blue crepe street-length dress with white accessories and a corsage of yellow rosebuds and lilies of the valley.

Miss Mary Helen Brummett, bridesmaid, wore a dusty rose crepe dress with white accessories and a red rosebud corsage.

Cpl. John Franks served as best man.

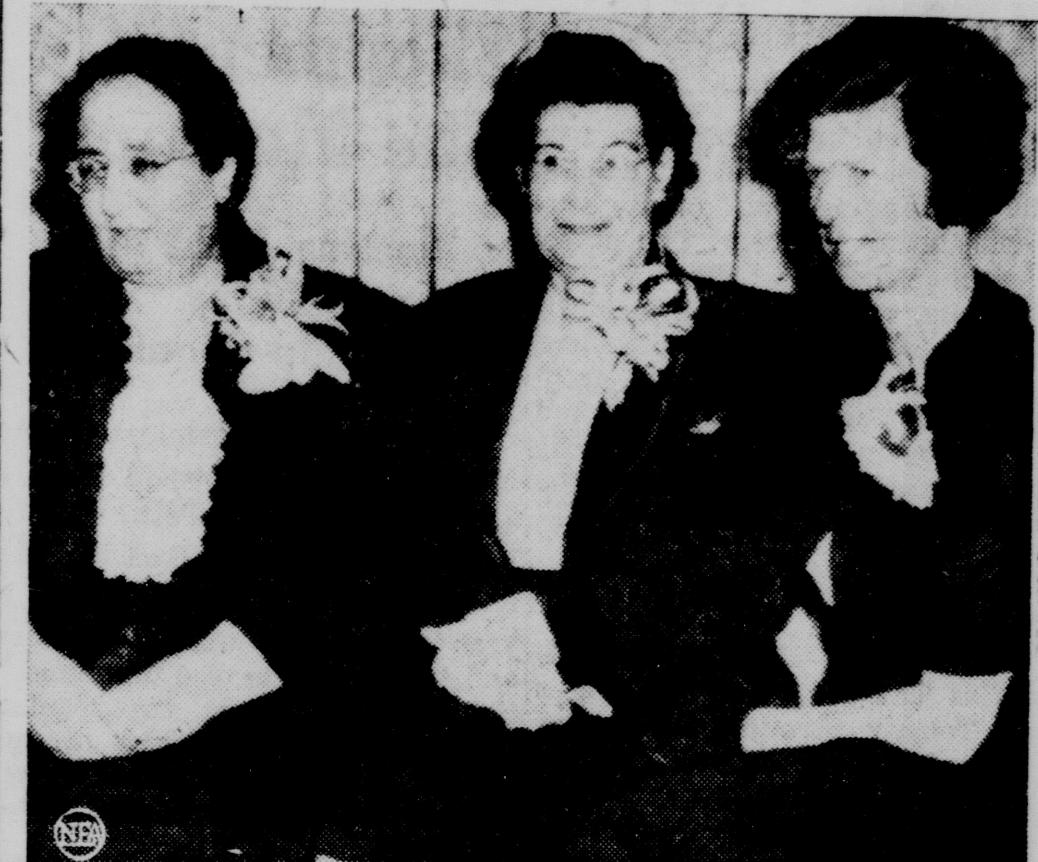
The wedding was attended by relatives and a few close friends of the bride and bridegroom.

Mrs. McNally is graduate of Smith-Cotton high school, a member of the 1940 class, and was also graduated from Central Business college, Sedalia.

S/Sgt. McNally, now stationed at Sedalia Army Air Field, was employed before joining the armed forces, in Detroit, Mich.

After the ceremony, the couple left for a short wedding trip and upon their return will be at home at 810 West Broadway.

## Mothers of Air Aces Meet



For the first time, mothers of the three leading ace fighter pilots meet in Chicago where they appeared in a special Mother's Day broadcast. Left to right are: Mrs. Patsy Gentile, mother of Capt. Don Gentile, Piqua, Ohio; Mrs. L. R. Johnson, mother of Capt. Robert Johnson, Lawton, Okla., and Mrs. Carl Bond, mother of Maj. Richard Bond, Poplar, Wis. (NEA Telephoto)

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nie Hoehns, sponsor, Mrs. E. E. Baum. Faculty members were chaperons.

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Scientists say KELLOGG'S ALL-BRAN can really "get at" a common cause of constipation—lack of sufficient "cellulosic" elements in the diet—because it is one of Nature's most effective sources of these elements. They work by helping the friendly colonic flora fuff up and prepare the colonic waste for easy, natural elimination. Sedalia Negroes.

Programs were made by Mrs. E. E. Baum. The background was of white with yellow rosebuds.

Officers of the junior class are: President, Mason Peoples, vice-president, Bessie Walters, treasurer, Howard Wells, reporter, Bon-

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## Hold Candle Service At S. C. High School

### Impressive Event In The Week of Commencement

The impressive annual Candle Service, one of the commencement week events of Smith-Cotton high school, was held at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon at the school auditorium.

After a bugle call the senior and junior classes marched in, the graduates to the right and the juniors down the left aisle. Leading the two processional lines were the officers and outstanding members of the classes who proceeded to the stage, the remaining members being seated in reserve sections on either side of the auditorium.

Accompaniment for the traditional songs of the service were played by the high school orchestra.

Greetings were given by Don Lamm, Jr., president of the student council, and the class address was made by Charles Eirls, president of the senior class. The response and pledge were by Martin Bradley, president of the junior class who wished good fortune to the seniors.

#### Hand Down Scepter

The queen's scepter was handed down by Frankie June Rodgers of the senior class to Jewell House, queen of the junior class.

Investment of the vice president of the student council was by Betty Rose with Lon Klink, officer-elect taking the pledge of office.

Don Lamm, Jr., president of the



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## Additional Society

Seventy-two relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Patterson, seven miles northwest of La-Monte, Sunday, to honor their son, Elmer Lee Patterson, G-2-c of the armed guard, San Francisco, Calif., who is here for a 10-day visit after eight months of overseas duty.

Fish, fried by the hostess and a dinner contributed by all were enjoyed by the following:

Dr. Ira Barton and A. L. Meredith, Prairie Home; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Coffelt and A. R. Patterson, Sedalia; Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Larue, LaMonte; Mr. and Mrs. Don Wheeler and Mrs. Emma Wheeler, LaMonte; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Clevenger, Mr. and Mrs. James Greer, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eichholz and son, Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pippin, Mr. and Mrs. Waudell Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Logan Colwell, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Barr Croft, Warrensburg; the Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth Duncan and the Rev. William Bebee, Liberty; Misses Evelyn Hinck, Maxine Fisher, Valetta Wheeler, Fern Clevenger, Doris Eichholz, LaMonte; Misses Margaret, Lucille and Frances Weathers, Kansas City; Pfc. William Colwell, stationed in Alaska; Frank Weatherly, Lemoyne and Clayton Wheeler, Egbert Means, Wesley, Ray, Ronnie and Delmar Fisher, Paul Faulconer, William Weathers, Harold Clevenger, Johnny Greer, Charles Pippin, M. L. Wade, LaMonte; Mrs. Arthur Mahin, Clarence Maddox, Waverly; Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Patterson and sons, Elmer Lee and Billy Dale.

## Births - - -

Son, born to Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bruns, Ionia, at 12:35 o'clock Monday afternoon at the Bothwell hospital.

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Nichols, 2200 East Broadway, at Bothwell hospital at 2:15 o'clock Monday afternoon.

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. James Glenn, of Hickman Mills, Mo., Thursday at the Northeast hospital in Kansas City. The baby has been named Karen Sue. Mrs. Glenn was formerly Miss Dorothy Marcum of Sedalia and is the daughter of Mrs. J. C. Perrot, 1306 East Seventh street. Mrs. Perrot will go to Kansas City Wednesday to see her new granddaughter.

## Governor Talks With Nominees

JEFFERSON CITY, May 16—(P)—Gov. Forrest C. Donnell today interviewed all three nominees for judge of the Kansas City court of appeals—"to consider their personalities and qualities" before making his selection among them, he explained.

Under the non-partisan court plan, the governor must appoint one of the three, who were nominated by a seven-member judicial commission. The nominees are:

William H. Allen, Kansas City Democrat; Lynn B. Ewing, Neva-Democrat and Samuel A. Dew, Kansas City Republican.

The governor did not indicate when he would announce his selection.

## Resigns to Work for Shook

JEFFERSON CITY, May 16—(P)—L. W. Byars, Columbia attorney, resigned today as assistant chief clerk in the secretary of state's office and said he would open out-state campaign headquarters here for Edgar Shook of Kansas City, candidate for Democratic nomination for Governor.

Byars was the first Democrat to quit a key position in the secretary of state's department since Gregory Stockard, Jefferson City Republican, was appointed secretary of state last Friday to succeed the late Dwight H. Brown, a Democrat.

Several others, however, have indicated they plan to leave as soon as replacements are found.

Stockard said he had hired only "four or five" Republicans in his first five days in office.

## Open House by Jefferson PTA

The Jefferson P. T. A. held its annual open house, Monday evening. Each room had on display the outstanding work of the students during the year. The newly elected president Mrs. Verney Engholm, presided at the meeting. She presented the past president Mrs. Jack Odle with a gift from the society for her cooperation and loyalty during the year. Mrs. Odle then presented E. T. Martin, the principal, with a gift from the society.

The following program was then presented:

GRADE ONE—Playlet "My Dolly Has the Flu," Virginia Miller and Tommy Stratton. Songs and pantomimes by children of the first grade. "Little Jack Horner," Gordon DeHaven and Jesse Dotson. "Little Miss Muffet," Ardis Walter and Garnett Walters. "Old King Cole," J. C. Buso, Wanda Gehken, Mary Ellison, Etta Reed, Beverly Engholm, Charlene Cooper. "Mary Had a Little Lamb," Carolyn Napier. "Hickory-Dickory-Derry," Gertrude Shull, Mary Lou Dirck.

GRADE TWO—Play "The Three Little Pigs," Fay Pierce, Gordon Miller, Jo Ann Vaught, Maudie Reed, Eldon Miller, Jackie Shepard, J. W. Miller, Chester O'Bannon, Johnny Ellison, Sarah Watson, Ralph Sands, Anita Bottcher.

GRADE THREE—Songs "Sweet and Low," "Laughing Springtime," Singing games "Pussy Cat, Pussy Cat," "A Hunting We Will Go."

GRADE FOUR—Play "The Immigration Office," Bob Ward, Bobby J. Lane, Charlene Dirck, Shirley Marquess, Janis Edwards, Loyd Hayes, Grace Watson, Arlene Snavely, Jimmie Vaught, Ethel Lou Vaught, Sonny Rayburn, Joseph Walter, Raymond Hopper, Helen Shepard, Bonny Smith, Troy Pirtle, Roy Pirtle, Joe Sands, Johnny Friend, Bobby Jackson, John Webb, Naomi Wade, Virginia Henderson, Eugene Richardson, Martha Ransdall, Patty Greer, Mary Ellen White, Rose Miller, George Dotson, Heribert Midwinter.

GRADE FIVE—Poems by children of 5th grade—"Dare To Do Right," "Four Leaf Clovers."

GRADE SIX—Calisthenics by the children of the sixth grade.

GRADE SEVEN—Play "Our Job," written by James Watson. Characters, Curtis Hayes, Billy Watson, James Watson, Ava June Smith, Bobby Barnes, Dale Anderson.

Songs by the Chorus—children of the 5th, 6th, 7th grades, accompanied by Miss Frances Brunkhorst.

"The Song and the Breeze," "Tis Spring," "Twilight."

The teachers served punch and cookies.

## Management May Discipline

WASHINGTON, May 16—(P)—The war labor board upheld today management's right to discipline employees who strike in violation of contract.

The WLB reversed its Detroit regional board, which had ordered the Norge machine products division of the Borg-Warner corporation, Muskegon, to reinstate 41 former employees with seniority rights but without back pay. WLB labor members dissented.

The board said any of the 41 employees individually may apply to the company within 15 days for reinstatement as new employees, or on any basis the company may determine. The company was not directed to rehire anyone.

## Commencement At Hughesville Wednesday

The commencement exercises of the Hughesville school will be held at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening, May 17.

Members of the senior class are: Frances Arnold, Margaret Jo Cranfill, Robert Cunningham, Loraine Hickman, J. W. Marlin, Bob Ramey, Betty Ream, Mary Ruth Smith, Virginia Smith, Warren Smith and Pearl Thomas.

**Reports Car Taken**

Lieut. Griffis Clifford, SAAF, reports to the police his 1934 Plymouth sedan stolen from near the Pacific cafe sometime in the past two days. The car was reported stolen by Lieut. Clifford, who, upon his arrival at the Sedalia Army Air Field learned a friend did not have the car.

**Closing Exercises At Hughesville**

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Eighth grade graduates are Elmer Glen McCarty, Phyllis Jean Walker, Robert Eugene Smith, Robert Thomas Knight, Lloyd H. Cunningham, Dorothy Louise Schank, Hiram W. F. Mueller, and Marilyn Jean Hirsch.

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**Stan Musial To Navy**

ST. LOUIS, May 16—(P)—Stan Musial, outfielder of the St. Louis Cardinals and leading batter in the major leagues last season, passed his pre-induction physical examination at Jefferson Barracks today and was accepted for the navy.

## J. L. Curry Tells Shopmen of The Museum

### Meeting Held at Noon Today On Shop Grounds

J. L. Curry, an employee of the Missouri Pacific shops in Sedalia and president of the Pettis County Historical society, talked on the founding of the society about a year ago, explained its progress and the formation of a museum at the court house, at the regular monthly business meeting of the Sedalia Booster club in the boiler shop of the Missouri Pacific shops this noon.

Introduced by F. G. Rose, chief booster, Curry gave the program speech in the absence of G. T. Callender, mechanical superintendent of the western district of the line, who was scheduled to speak, but was unable to be in Sedalia today.

Twenty-one cases already have been installed in the museum, others are under construction and six more cases are promised, Curry said. He also described some of the relics and articles housed in the cases, nine of which are gifts of the Mo-Pac lines.

**Kilbury Makes Talk**

The speaker announced the "I Am an American Day" to be held Sunday afternoon at the court house. Doors will be open at 2 o'clock.

Chief Booster Rose presented C. R. Kilbury, superintendent of the Sedalia shops, who closed the meeting with a heart-stirring message appealing to all employees to stay on the job, stressing that there are too many absences hours.

The average monthly payroll, Kilbury informed, is \$270,000 and could be more with less absences, he emphasized.

He spoke about the part the Missouri Pacific line and other railroad companies are playing in the war effort, and urged all attending the meeting to boost for the line and for the boys in service and their families.

In this regard he spoke in honor of the employees, sons and daughters who are in the service, stating "We owe it to them to cut down absentee hours as much as is humanly possible."

## Houx District Chairman Drive

Edwin C. Houx, cashier of the Peoples National Bank, Warrensburg, has been reappointed chairman of the seven west-central Missouri counties, comprising Group 10 in the approaching Fifth War Loan Drive. R. L. "Bob" Hill, outstate chairman of the Missouri War Finance committee, said today.

Mr. and Mrs. William Davis of St. Louis and Mrs. Ann Shank of Kansas City spent Mother's day with Mrs. Davis' and Mrs. Shank's mother, Mrs. Anna Smalls, 1111 West Second street.

Mrs. Jacob Deck, 703 Wilkerson, has returned from Boonville where she spent Mother's Day with her mother, Mrs. Atha Mitchell.

Mrs. E. H. Gold of Kansas City was here to spend Mother's Day with her husband's mother, Mrs. W. J. Gold, 1005 West Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Thompson of Kansas City was here to spend Mother's Day with his mother, Mrs. Pearl Thompson, 513 West Fourth street.

William Younger and son, Michael, of Ft. Smith, Va., will leave Wednesday morning after a few days visit with Mr. Younger's mother, Mrs. Anna Younger, 407 East Howard street.

Mrs. W. S. Earhart, 2514 East Broadway, went to Kansas City for the weekend to spend Mother's day with her daughter, Mrs. D. S. Magee.

Miss Margaret Lawson of Kansas City returned today to Kansas City after a week's vacation which she spent with her mother, Mrs. M. J. Lawson of Parsons, Kas., who was also here for the week and has returned to Parsons. Also here Sunday were two more of Mrs. Lawson's daughters, Miss Lydia Ann Lawson of Kansas City and Mrs. E. E. Garthoffner of Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gold, 1005 West Third street, had as dinner guests Sunday their daughter-in-law, Mrs. E. H. Gold of Kansas City and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Van Wagner and son, James.

Seaman First Class Jean Rice of the WAVES is home on a week's leave from Stillwater, Okla., and is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Okee Rice, 1117 West Third street. After her leave she will be stationed in Cleveland, Ohio.

Miss Marjory Rice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Okee Rice, 1117 West Third street, has arrived in Miami, Fla., where she has accepted a position.

Mrs. R. J. Starmer and little son, Johnnie, of Flint, Mich., is here for a visit with her mother, Mrs. J. J. Smith and sister, Mrs. R. B. Rupard and Mr. Rupard, 216 East Broadway.

Dr. Paul W. Smith, Oklahoma City, Okla., professor of medicine in the university there, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. J. J. Smith and sister, Mrs. R. B. Rupard and Mr. Rupard, 216 East Broadway.

Mrs. W. R. Campbell, Harlingen, Texas, arrived Saturday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Minnie Lewis, 115 South Grand avenue and her husband's mother, Mrs. W. S. Campbell.

Stg. Lyle Trublood, stationed at Camp Ellis, Ill., is home on a 15-day furlough and is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Trueblood, 222 East Sixth street and his grandmother, Mrs. Viola Trublood, 807 West Seventh street. Stg. Trublood is instructor in a training school.

Mrs. Leon McGilton of Nashville, Tenn., will arrive this afternoon to be the guest of Mrs. Louisa Sheffer Fowler, 707 South Kentucky avenue. Mrs. McGilton is the daughter of G. V. Buchanan, former superintendent of schools in Sedalia, and will be remembered here as Miss Helen Buchanan.

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## Keyser Reports To Bankers

KANSAS CITY, May 16—(P)—Local and regional pools of private banks will be set up to assure all communities adequate credit needs. A. L. M. Wiggins, Hartsville, S. C., president of the American Bankers Association, told Missouri bankers today.

Scheduled for late afternoon of the two-day session was an address by Roy A. Roberts, managing editor of the Kansas City Star. He will speak on "A Glimpse of the Washington Picture."

W. F. Keyser, Sedalia, association secretary, reported there were 591 deposit-receiving banks and trust companies in the state on April 30, compared with 587 on the same date last year. Of this number, 508 were state banks and trust companies, 82 were national banks and all but 19 were members of the Missouri Bankers Association.

For the second successive year, he said, Missouri has been free from bank burglary.

"It is gratifying also to report," he added, "only one successful bank holdup resulting in the small aggregate low of \$190.15. This compares with three holdups for the preceding year, with aggregate loss of \$1,234."

The association had a membership of 597 on April 30, compared with 604 a year ago.

## Nickel Cigar Almost A Thing of Past

(Continued From Page One)

cigar jumped to 6 cents and then to 3-for-55 cents. And this is why:

Back in November, 1942, OPA told the industry to keep prices where they were then.

But to compensate for the increased revenue tax and for the higher costs of labor and raw materials, OPA allowed cigar makers to add 20 per cent to the prices they were charging for any cigar in that month of November.

So a nickel cigar could be sold for 6 cents; a 10-cent cigar for 12 cents and on up the line, just as a cigar that had sold 2-for-a-nickel could be sold for 3 cents each.

**Greater Profits**

Costs rose, and because the margin of profit was greater in the higher-priced cigars, manufacturers made more of them and fewer of the cheap kind.

Then there was another way for prices to change around:

A cigarmaker could turn out what he claimed to be a new type of cigar—something different from what he had made before—and charge a special price allowed by OPA if the agency was convinced he was telling the truth.

Such a cigar might be in the low-priced or high-priced field.

But OPA is not satisfied with the way all this has turned out. The plan now under consideration is intended to encourage making cheaper cigars more plentiful.

Before the war, OPA says, 90 per cent of all cigars sold in this country were 5 cents or less.

**Degree To Marian Anderson**

NORTHAMPTON, Mass., May 16—(P)—Miss Marian Anderson, noted American singer, received an honorary degree of doctor of music today at the 66th annual commencement exercises at Smith college.

Pallbearers will be the following nephews: Ross Pace, Napon, Same Pace, Kansas City; Tom Pace, Marshall; Fred Pace, Center-Town; Willie Pace, Nelson; and George Pace, Napon.

Burial will be in Elston.

**John T. Pace Service**

Funeral services for John Thomas Pace, whose home was at 921 East Sixth street, who died Monday morning at the home of a niece, Mrs. John H. Thorp in Marshall, will be held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the Gillespie funeral home at 11:00 o'clock Wednesday morning with Rev. H. U. Campbell, pastor of the Fifth Street Methodist church, to officiate.

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## Traffic Cases in Police Court

Nineteen traffic violators failed to appear in police court Monday morning and their bonds were ordered forfeited by Magistrate C. W. Bente.

Overtime parkers who forfeited bonds of \$1 each were: Z. E. Miles, El Dorado Springs; Bill Hughes, 704 North Quincy avenue; Mrs. C. P. Russell, 820½ West Third street; A. A. Schupp, 1021 West Sixteenth street; Mrs. C. Rowley, 315 East Fifth street; Charles Cotterman, 400 South Quincy avenue; Charles Hickman, 1415 South Carr avenue; B. Raskin, 618 West Seventeenth street; C. Ahrens, 1508 South Harrison avenue; S. E. Ross, Dean Apartments; John Whiteman, 624 West Twenty-Fourth street; James Chapman, 1300 block West Second street; Mrs. D. E. Closser, 1802 South Prospect avenue; H. W. Lewis, 708 East Thirteenth street.

Double parking violators who forfeited \$1 bonds are: Fred Calentano, Sedalia Army Air Field; Gerald Paxton, 316 East Main street; Mrs. T. W. Cloney II, 509 West Broadway, Ray Burch, of Syracuse, Mo.

Left turn violators who forfeited \$1.00 cash bonds were Harold Harris of Chadwick, Mo., Lieut. Walter Trappe of Sedalia Army Air Field.

Bonds for traffic violations posted Monday were made by A. C. Stoffel, 1113 West Second street, overtime parking, \$1; Mrs. E. L. Spangler, 1313 West Broadway, improper parking, \$1; Lynn Russell of State Fair Floral company, overtime parking, \$1; Miss Myrtle Brown, rural route 4, Sedalia, double parking, \$1; Virgil Stafford, Versailles, left hand turn, Fourth street and Ohio avenue, \$1.

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## Peaceful Scene Against a Backdrop of War on the Italian Front



Lieutenant Colonel Bernice Wilber, right, head of the Army nurses in the North African theater of operations, and Miss Clementine Miller, Red Cross worker, of Columbus, Indiana, pause in their work at an evacuation hospital to give their laundry to a native Italian woman, whose little son looks on.

## COMMUNITY NEWS from Warsaw

### Miss Genevieve Drake

Mrs. Norman Newkirk was hostess at dinner Tuesday evening, May 2, to Mrs. Gene Bibb, Miss Dorothy May, Miss Anna May Gerken, Miss Geraldine Cunningham, Miss Ellen Lumpre, Mrs. Gene Brady, Mrs. Ethel D. Riddle, and Miss Grace Batchelder. In the evening the group worked at the Red Cross rooms making surgical dressings.

Sgt. Gordon Howard Drake of Great Bend, Kas., spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Drake.

Miss Louise Moore spent the weekend at her home in Sedalia. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kline and daughter, and his aunt, Miss Esther Kline of Boonville, were Sunday guests of Mr. Kline's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kline.

Mrs. J. S. Phillips was hostess Thursday to the Marthas of the Methodist church. Others present were: Mrs. G. W. Drake, Mrs. E. Eoff, Mrs. Minnie Hart, Mrs. R. W. Hudson, Mrs. C. W. Kennedy, Mrs. T. J. Feaster, Mrs. Parcell, and the Rev. C. Silas Roe.

The annual Junior-Senior banquet was held in the school gymnasium Thursday night, May 4, at which time the seniors, faculty, and school board members were guests of the juniors. Table decorations were Walt Disney characters, and were made by Miss Phronsie Estes. A music program was presented by members of that department, under the direction of Miss Miriam Freeman. Junior class sponsors are Miss Louise Moore and Miss Nevada Surbaugh.

Miss Geraldine Allen, daughter of Mrs. Laura Allen of Warsaw, and Capt. Roy J. Hooper of Concord, Calif., were married Sunday afternoon, April 30, at the R. A. F. Post Chapel, Roswell Field, N. Mex., with Lt. D. V. Sieberg officiating in the double ring ceremony. Mrs. N. E. Thurmon acted as matron of honor for her sister. Capt. Robert B. Booz served as best man to Capt. Hooper. Mrs. Hooper is a graduate of the Warsaw high school and of Central Missouri State Teachers college, Warrensburg. She is an art teacher in the East Side school in Roswell at the present time. Capt. Hooper attended the University of California. Mrs. Laura Allen and Mrs. N. E. Thurmon went to Roswell to attend the wedding.

The McCormick Book club met with Mrs. S. E. Bowman, Monday

night, May 1. Mrs. V. A. Lundquist gave a review of Thomas Wolfe's "The Hills Beyond." Other members present were: Misses Miriam Freeman, Dorothy May, Nevada Surbaugh, Florence Hudelson, Louise Moore, Grace Batchelder, Genevieve Drake, and Mrs. Gus C. Salley.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Stone of Des Moines, Ia., negro radio and concert singers presented a concert of Negro spirituals and sacred songs at the Methodist church Sunday night following the regular church services. Mr. and Mrs. Stone played in the motion picture production "Green Pastures"; he played the part of Moses, and she sang "Deep River." A large group attended the concert here.

Dr. and Mrs. G. S. Kirby, Mrs. John M. Gibbons, and son, John, visited over the weekend with Misses Fannie and Josephine Johnson.

The seniors of the Warsaw high school were guests at the show "Happy Land" Monday night, as guests of Mrs. C. C. Rhodes.

## Girl 16, is Sent Home by Officers

Margie Gerard, 16-year-old girl of Oshkosh, Wis., who was arrested by local police Friday in the company of soldiers was sent home Monday afternoon by bus.

At first the girl claimed to be 18 years old and said that her home was in Redding, Pa., and later changed her story. Police authorities in Oshkosh were contacted and her parents notified. They were unable to send money for her fare home.

She has been housed in the county jail since being taken in custody by police, and this afternoon was at police headquarters and was accompanied to the bus station by officers.

## Foremen Continue Strike In Factories

DETROIT, May 16—(P)—The plant of the big Packard Motor Car company remained closed Monday and war production in a dozen other factories in Detroit area was affected in varying degree as approximately 3,300 foremen continued a strike begun more than three weeks ago.

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Grounded and facing retirement from the U. S. Air Force since the Army found out he is only 16 years old, Sgt. De Sales A. Glover of Pittsburgh, Pa., sits on a bomb at an English base and ponders his fate. Enlisting at 14, he has served as waist gunner on six missions over Europe and holds the Air Medal.

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## Board of 'Teen Town' Meets

The Board of the Teen Town of Sedalia met at Parish hall Monday night to make final arrangements for the summer. It was reported that with the proceeds from the variety show held Friday night and the numerous contributions from many organizations the club will be able to operate satisfactorily from a financial standpoint.

A special vote of thanks went to Broadway, Whittier, Smith-Cotton, Horace Mann and Mark Twain schools and to the "S" and "L" clubs, and the American Legion auxiliary for sending generous contributions.

Two student representatives from the high school, Margaret Sned and Lon Klink, were received. They will report to the board from time to time on the attitudes and opinions of the youth of Smith-Cotton. Also two representatives from Sacred Heart school will be selected later.

It has been estimated that approximately \$180 has been cleared from Friday night's production.

## Assessed Fine On Worthless Check Charge

Lester Stafford was fined \$1 and costs, plus restitution of a \$10 worthless check, in the court of Judge A. M. Harlan, justice of the peace, Monday.

The check was written on the Bank of Versailles and presented to the L. B. Price Co., here on March 4. The instrument was returned by the bank for lack of any deposit under Stafford's name.

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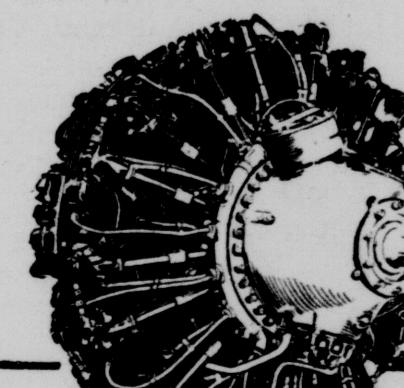
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If not working on an essential war job, apply at the downtown employment office of Pratt & Whitney Aircraft, 1015 Walnut, Kansas City, Missouri—or at the plant. Both offices open 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. every day including Sunday.

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**I—Announcements****1—Personals**

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**Class 8-A—Shows**

FOR RENT: "STANDING ROOM ONLY"—If you think you have rental problems. Come over and see funniest picture you've ever seen. Today at the Fox Theatre.

**10—Strayed, Lost, Found**

LOST — Keys on shoe string. Phone 4090.

LOST — Hub cap for Hudson car. Phone 1787. 1422 South Kentucky.

LOST: BLACK—Cocker Spaniel answers to name Dutchess. Child's pet. 906 South Missouri Reward.

\$10 REWARD — for information leading to return of black and white English Shepherd female dog. 4 white paws, white ring around neck, white tip on tail. Phone 3731-W or 676.

GOOD REWARD—For information leading to the whereabouts of a little black and white part Rat Terrier female dog. 4 white paws and white ring around neck. Phone 31-F-12 La Monte, Missouri.

**II—Automotive****11—Automobiles for Sale**

1936 PONTIAC—Sedan. See at 1118 East 9th.

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1934 CHEVROLET—good condition. \$150. 1614 South Park.

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1941 FORD COACH—1939 Ford Coupe, 1937 Chevrolet, 4 door, 1937 Chevrolet pickup, 1935 Chevrolet coupe, 1928 Chrysler 4 door, good tires. 1931 Pontiac. 1937 Plymouth 4 door. 1935 Chevrolet 4 door, 1419 South Limit. Phone 4216, or 4166.

**12—Auto Trucks for Sale**

K. S. 5 INTERNATIONAL truck, good tires. F. A. Plant, Fortuna, Missouri.

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**15—Motorcycles and Bicycles**

MAN'S De Luxe model bicycle, practically new. Phone 2228. 317 Boonville.

**16—Repairing—Service Stations**

COMPLETE VULCANIZING, Tire and Battery Service. Cleaners, naphtha and stove gas, Phillips Service Station, 7th and Ohio. Phone 3282.

**17—Wanted Automotive**

WANTED—late model car Phone 2196

**III—Business Service**

Continued

**19—Building and Contracting**

ALL KINDS OF home repairs, remodeling, new farm buildings. Plans drawn. For estimates call Tom Ware 2664.

**21—Dressmaking and Millinery**

ALL KINDS of seamstress work wanted. Children and tots clothes specialty. Phone 1543-W.

**25—Moving, Trucking Storage**

MIDDLETON STORAGE COMPANY—Dependable service under owner management responsibility. Storing, moving, packing and crating Lamine and Missouri Pacific tracks. Phone 946.

**IV—Employment****32—Help Wanted—Female**

WAITRESS WANTED—Apply in person, McKenzie Coffee Shop.

GIRLS WANTED — Apply Dorn Clokey Dry Cleaning White and colored.

WANTED THREE girls or women for Greenhouse work. Archias Floral Company.

EXPERIENCED WAITRESS—Apply Fred Hildebrandt Cafe. 224 East Third Street.

HELP WANTED: Men and women to work in Egg Breaking department mornings, afternoons or evenings. Here is your opportunity to help on the home front. Good pay. Time and one-half for overtime. Apply in person. Swift and Company, Main and Grand.

**WANTED**  
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Room to stay nights, or can go home nights as desired. Good Wages Phone 1867

**33—Help Wanted—Male**

JANITOR WANTED: Apply Fox Theatre.

WANTED BUS DRIVERS—Apply 500 West 16th Street.

SERVICE STATION WORK—Browns Automobile Clinic, 3rd and Osage.

BOY WANTED: General work. Crown Drug Company, full or part time. Must be 16 years of age or older. Apply in person.

WANTED MEN with good team or teams. Must have good disc harrow to break and plant 4 acres of corn. Will pay top price. Ask for John Wootan, 419 North Quincy. Call after 6 p. m.

WANTED BOYS 16 years of age or over for hoeing grass out of grape vineyard. Old men can do this job too. Ask for John Wootan, 419 North Quincy. Call after 6 p. m.

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WANTED BOYS AND GIRLS—wanted to work at Garst Drive In. Also janitor. Call 1715.

**36—Situation Wanted—Female**

WANTED DAY WORK, curtains and blankets laundered. Phone 1328 evenings.

EXPERIENCED WAITRESS—desires work in Sedalia. Miss Viola Glor, 831 West Hunter, Nevada, Missouri.

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**III—Business Service****Continued****19—Business Services Offered**

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SINGER — New Singer electric sewing machines for rent. All makes of sewing machines repaired. We buy used machines. New machines for sale. A Singer representative is in Sedalia regularly.

Write Singer Sewing Machine Company, 106 East High, Jefferson City, Missouri.

SELLERS KITCHEN CABINET—dining chairs, leather covered, etc. Sale odd dishes, cups, saucers, glasses 10c each. Your choice. The Merchandise Store, 509 South Ohio.

EXTRA GOOD—fresh Jersey, 5 gallons daily. 1702 West Broadway.

WILL TRADE—Registered Short horn bull and Electric Refrigerator for livestock. Phone 7-F-22.

**VII—Live Stock****47—Dogs, Cats, other Pets**

4 BEAUTIFUL MALE COCKER puppies, 2 blondes, 2 red and white, beautifully marked. Finest bloodlines. Pedigreed. Phone 1517 or 1806 West Broadway.

**47—Rabbits For Sale**

FOR SALE—New Zealand rabbits, all sizes also hutch. One good Nubian milk goat, fresh. Phone 2338.

**48—Horses, Cattle other Stock**

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**VII—Live Stock****48—Horses, Cattle other Stock**

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WE PAY — for dead animals, horses, cattle and hogs, if not skinned or decomposed. We pay telephone charges. Phone Sedalia, Phone 3033.

TWO GOOD MARES with mule colt. One 2 year old mare mule Frank Haar, 420 South Osage.

ONE NUBIAN—milk goat, extra good, fresh, also three doe kids. K. N. Keefer, Warsaw, Missouri.

49—Poultry & Supplies

15 WHITE ROCK—hens, good layers. 1528 East 5th.

**IV—Merchandise****58—Home-Made Things**

Continued

USED WICKER SETS—odd chairs and rockers, mostly spring filled, wooden lawn chairs unfinished and painted. Few pre-war metal chairs, porch gates 3 to 5 feet. Callies Furniture Company.

62A—Radio Equipment

RADIO FOR SALE—J. W. Neal, 807 West 6th.

8 TUBE ELECTRIC radio, good condition. Phone 3704.

**63—Plants, Flowers**

WHITE ROCK—plants for sale. 133 East Walnut.

TOMATO, CABBAGE — plants for sale. 133 East Walnut.

TOMATO and pepper plants. 1607 South Stewart. Phone 1204.

REEDS SEED CORN—good tent. Call Smithton. F. D. Muschany.

CABBAGE PLANTS — for sale. Fred Staley, 2023 South Grand.

CERTIFIED SEED POTATOES: 6 weeks early triumphs, cobblers, red river early Ohio. Ready to plant now. Onion sets, onion plants, cabbage and tomato plants. Comb honey in buckets. Gordon Brothers.

**64—Specials At The Stores****65—Wagon Box For Sale**

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**VIII—Merchandise**

NOTICE OF PRIMARY  
ELECTION

State of Missouri  
ss.  
Department of State  
To the Clerk of the County Court:  
Pettis County.  
In accordance with Section  
11548, R. S. Mo., 1939, as amended  
by the 62nd General Assembly  
in extra session 1944, notice is  
hereby given that the following  
are the offices for which candi-  
dates are to be nominated at the  
primary election to be held in  
Missouri the first Tuesday in  
August (August 1), 1944:  
Senator in Congress.  
Governor.  
Lieutenant-Governor.  
Secretary of State.  
State Auditor.  
State Treasurer.  
Attorney-General.  
Representative in Congress for  
Missouri (thirteen to be elected).  
State Senator for Fifteenth Dis-  
trict.

Judge of the Circuit Court for  
the Sixth Judicial Circuit, Divi-  
sion No. Two.

Judge of the Circuit Court for  
the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit,  
unexpired term. (One to be elect-  
ed).

Judge of the Circuit Court for  
the Twenty-Fifth Judicial Circuit,  
Division No. Two.

Judge of the Circuit Court for  
the Thirty-Seventh Judicial Cir-  
cuit.

Member of the House of Repre-  
sentatives in each county and  
legislative district.

Representative to the state leg-  
islature.

Judge County Court Eastern  
District.

Judge County Court Western  
District.

Prosecuting Attorney.  
Sheriff.

Assessor.

Surveyor.

Public Administrator.

Coroner.

Collector.

Constable.

Committeemen.

Committeewomen.

Such State, County and Town-  
ship offices as become vacant by  
expiration of term, by death or  
resignation of incumbents or vac-  
ant for any cause, and which,  
under the law, should be filled  
at the November Election, 1944.

Given under my hand and offi-  
cial seal at the Capitol in the City  
of Jefferson, this 15th day of  
April, A. D., 1944.

Dwight H. Brown,  
Secretary of State.

George E. Crow,  
Chief Clerk.

(SEAL)  
J. H. Green,  
County Clerk Pettis County.

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## Splash of Beauty



Like a bird on wing, Adeline Porter floats through air in half twist. Delectable diver starred in Women's Central A. A. U. meet in pool of Lake Shore Club, Chicago.

## Sports Roundup

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

NEW YORK, May 16—(P)—Re-  
member way back when horsemen  
used to talk hopefully about a  
million dollar day at the races? . . .  
On the basis of last Saturday's  
39,293 fans and \$3,369,385 handle  
at Belmont park, the figger fil-  
berts have doped it out that the  
betting-will pass four million the  
first time Belmont entertains 50,-  
000 customers, which may be Me-  
morial day, if not sooner. . . .  
Mike Jacobs estimates that he lost  
about \$10,000 promoting fights at  
St. Nick's through the winter. . . .  
Bill Brandt's exhaustive search of  
the statistics reveals that Jim Tobin  
is the only major league pitcher  
who ever turned in a no-hitter  
and socked a home run in the  
same game.

### A Refreshing Yarn

Colleague Russ Newland passes  
along this tall baseball yarn, told  
by Harry O'Dea, retired San Fran-  
cisco police captain and quite a  
ball player in his day. . . . Back in  
1887 O'Dea, playing for the Sac-  
ramento Atlas, came to bat against  
Stockton with a runner on third.  
. . . O'Dea bunted down the first  
base line and First Baseman Charley  
Selina fielded the ball. . . . "I  
dodged, ran out of line, hurdled  
the low fence and dashed into the  
saloon in the corner of the  
grounds," O'Dea recalls. "Selina  
chased me into the place. I said:  
'I'll take a beer.' Selina said: 'I'll  
take one too.' Meanwhile the man  
on Third had scored. Rules were  
different then."

### Scrap Collection

Syracuse U. still is very much  
undecided about playing football  
next fall. . . . Notre Dame's Creigh-  
ton Miller has definitely decided  
against further collegiate action  
next fall and if he doesn't accept  
an offer from the Brooklyn Tigers  
he'll be one of Ed McKeever's  
assistant coaches. . . . Vic Delicurti  
and Gus Dorazio are sporting the  
latest finished products of Dr. Wil-  
liam Spielberg, who has special-  
ized for 20 years in remaking the  
damaged maps of fighters. . . . Bill  
Benswanger, Pittsburgh Pirates'  
prexy, has compiled the program  
notes for Pittsburgh symphony or-  
chestra concerts for several years.  
. . . The umps probably wish he'd  
teach Frankie Frisch something  
about harmony.

### A Rookie a Day

Charlie Schanz, Phillies' pitcher,  
racked up 17 victories last season  
out of a total of 70 won by the  
seventh-place San Diego club and  
so far he's shown no sign of dizziness  
from being with the second-  
place Phils. . . . "Charlie Chan" has  
won three of his four starts so far.  
. . . Pitched a one-hitter against  
the Giants and won it with a triple  
with bases loaded. . . . Last season  
he pitched 276 innings to become the  
work horse of the Pacific Coast  
league.

### Service Dept.

Camp Sibert, Ala., and the 20th  
armored division of Camp Camp-  
bell, Ky., semi-finalists in last  
year's national semi-pro tourna-  
ment, head the entry list for the  
Southern Service baseball tourney  
at Chattanooga, Tenn., this week.  
Spud Chandler is due to pitch for  
Camp Sibert. . . . Lieut. (jg) Billy

Democrat-Capital Class ads get  
results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c  
Phone 1000.

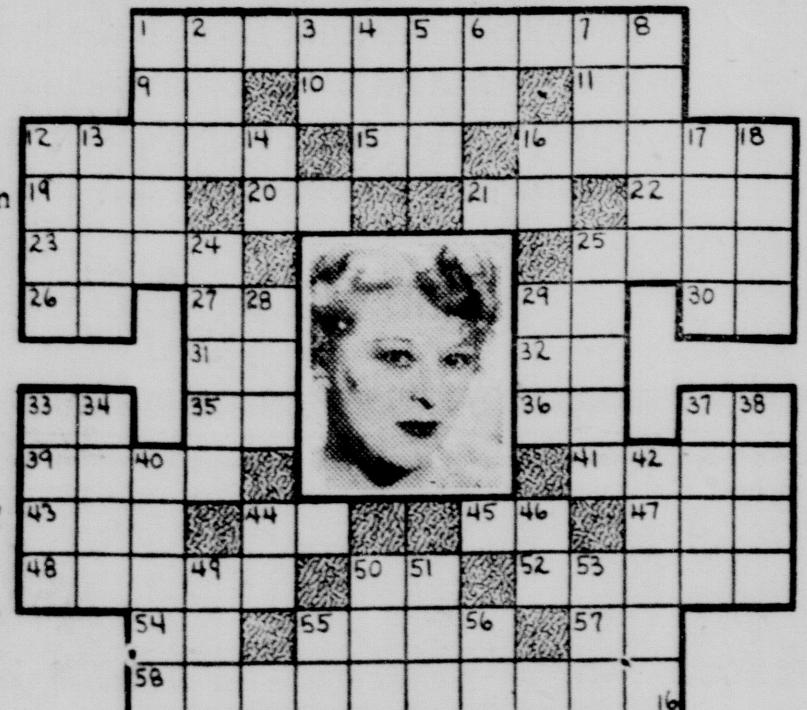
### STAGE STAR

**HORIZONTAL** vertebrates  
1 Pictured stage 57 Near  
and screen 58 She is one of  
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19 Dutch city 8 Arrange in  
20 Onward 9 folds  
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29 Him 17 480 sheets  
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(abbr.) 19 Citadel 19 Petty quarrels  
31 Us 20 Networks 21 Mother  
32 That thing 22 Low haunt 23 We  
33 Electrical term 24 Arrive 25 Sedan  
35 Half-em 25 External 26 Gun (slang)  
36 Jumbled type 26 Mast 27 Hail!  
37 Symbol for 27 Mast 28 Legal point  
selenium 28 Royal Italian 29 Sedan  
39 Scorch 29 Street (abbr.) 30 Gun  
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44 Myself 32 Mast 33 External  
45 Chaos 33 Mast 34 Hoax  
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## Is Hitting so Good or the Pitching Bad?

Clyde Shoun Equals  
Jim Tobin's No Run  
Job in Baseball

By Jack Hand  
Associated Press Sports Writer

Cincinnati's bull pen has yielded  
a pitcher in Clyde Shoun to equal  
Jim Tobin's no-hit, no-run job and  
baseball today is beginning to wonder whether the pitching  
is so good or the hitting so bad. Two hitless games have  
been tossed within a month where  
none were recorded in the last  
two years.

### Aleto Hits Homer

While Shoun was blanking Boston,  
1-0, on Chuck Aleto's home run and showing Tobin how it  
feels to be on the receiving end of a no-hitter, the St. Louis Cardinals  
broke out with nine runs in the first inning against Philadelphia. Brooklyn leveled Chicago with a 17-hit attack and the New York Giants gave the hitting profession another boost with 15  
safeties at Pittsburgh.

So far the argument is even-  
Stephens on the pitching vs hitting  
debate but the uneven early-  
season performances are giving the  
record books a good workout.

When Shoun turned back Boston  
without a hit, on top of Bucky  
Walters' one-hitter Sunday, it was  
the first time since 1917 that a  
club has been so completely stopped  
on two successive days. Twenty-seven years back, Ernie  
Koob and Bob Groom of the Browns  
had had both hitless in two of a 3-game series.

Shoun's job topped Tobin's because  
he walked only one and Tobin passed two. After Tobin  
stroked in the third and died on  
first, not a Boston batsman reached  
in two of a 3-game series.

Chet Covington, who pitched  
baseball's only perfect game in  
1943 for Scranton, Pa., in the  
Eastern League, was one of the  
victims as the Cards paraded over  
the Phillies, 11-6. Emil Verban  
had a triple and a single in the  
big first inning.

### Dixie Paced Dodgers

Dixie Walker paced the Dodger's  
attack as they scored seven in  
the sixth frame in swamping Chi-  
cago, 14-3, behind Hal Gregg.  
Walker upped his average to .414.  
The New York Giants got partial  
revenge for Sunday's double loss  
by pummeling the Pirates, 8-7  
after a rocky start.

The Yankees made eight hits  
count for a 10-2 triumph over  
Chicago with Rookie Walt Dubiel  
showing good stuff as starting  
pitcher in a five-hit job.

Frankie Hayes clouted a base-  
loaded homer with two out in the  
last of the ninth to climax a  
Hollywood ending for the Ath-  
letics' 6-2 triumph over Detroit.

In a night game, Mike Guerra's  
ninth inning homer with one on  
sent Washington overtime and he  
scored the winning run in the  
11th on Hillis Layne's single for  
a 4-3 edge over Cleveland, boosting  
the Nats into second place.  
Boston and St. Louis were not  
scheduled.

Soose, former middleweight champ  
who recently was upped from chief  
specialist in the navy, has been  
transferred from Great Lakes to  
Bradford, Va. . . . Bob Steuber,  
the football point collector who  
also does a bit of baseball and  
track work for the Iowa Seahawks,  
is rated the school's most popular  
athlete on trips. He's also a star  
with a harmonica.

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## Back in His Lair



Recently appointed Chicago manager, Charlie Grimm, talks it over with some of his players before recent doubleheader with Pirates. Cubs dropped both games.

## Baseball Results

By The Associated Press

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

Brooklyn 14, Chicago 3.

Cincinnati 1, Boston 0.

New York 8, Pittsburgh 7.

St. Louis 11, Philadelphia 6.

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York 10, Chicago 2.

Philadelphia 6, Detroit 2.

Washington 4, Cleveland 1.

(eleven innings)

Indianapolis 10, Kansas City 4.

St. Paul 5, Toledo 4 (11 innings)

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### AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Columbus 11, Minneapolis 4.

Louisville 4, Milwaukee 1 (10  
innings)

Indianapolis 10, Kansas City 4.

St. Paul 5, Toledo 4 (11 innings)

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### Sports Monday Night

By The Associated Press

### NEW YORK

Cleop Shams, 135,

Los Angeles, outpointed Al Guido,

135½, New York, 10.

BALTIMORE — Joe Carter,

168½, Rome, N. Y., outpointed Coley Welch, 163½, Portland, Me. 10.

CHICAGO — Robert Simmons,

148½, Indianapolis, outpointed

Johnny Ryan, 150, Detroit, 8.

SAN FRANCISCO — Elmer Ray,

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Fredie Hudson, 195, Ardmore, Okla., 1.

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### Sports Mirror

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## Priest on 'Verge Of a Breakdown'

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 16—(P)—The Rev. Stanislaus Orlomanski, storm center of a Catholic church controversy as a result of a recent flying trip to Moscow to discuss with Marshal Joseph Stalin the future of his church in Poland, Monday night was under the care of a physician who described him as "on the verge of a complete physical and mental breakdown."

Dr. W. C. Kotarski said the priest was confined to bed in the rectory of his church, although the chancellor of the Springfield diocese, Rev. George A. Shea, said earlier in the day that Fr. Orlomanski was "in or on his way to a monastery."

The physician said he found Fr. Orlomanski "very nervous and upset" when he visited him today. He ordered the priest to remain in bed for several days. The clergyman, he added, was visibly affected by developments since his return from Russia.

Fr. Shea, told a press conference that letter Fr. Orlomanski wrote to Most Bishop O'Leary, bishop of Springfield, announced the priest's decision to accept the punishment which was decreed because of his unauthorized absence from his parish.

Since his suspension by Bishop O'Leary on Saturday, a few hours after returning from Moscow, Fr. Orlomanski has made no public appearance. His two brothers, priests stationed in Cleveland, Ohio, and New Kensington, Pa.,

respectively, reportedly left for Springfield last night and were believed to be with the suspended clergyman.

## Still Civil Suit Against Chaplin

LOS ANGELES, May 16—(P)—Cleared of the final criminal charge involving his association with 24-year-old Joan Berry, actor-producer Charles Chaplin faces her allegations that he is the father of her seven-months-old daughter, Carol Ann.

Conspiracy indictments against the actor and three co-defendants were dismissed by Federal Judge J. F. T. O'Connor Monday and almost simultaneously the state supreme court in San Francisco denied his petition for dismissal of Miss Berry's civil action.

A representative of Joseph Scott, Miss Berry's counsel, said "we are ready to go to trial at once." Chaplin must plead to the complaint within 10 days, then the trial date will be set.

The supreme court's ruling directs that Carol Ann "have her day in court," which Scott had demanded in his successful superior court appeal against dismissal of the action.

Dismissal of the conspiracy indictment against Chaplin and the others was a speedily-dispatched formality.

## Van Natta 4-H Club Meeting

The Van Natta Jolly Workers 4-H club held its first meeting on Thursday afternoon at the home of the assistant leader, Mrs. J. L. Fiedler.

The meeting was called to order by the leader. Roll call was answered with the repeating of the club pledge.

Following are officers as they were elected: President, Lucille Fiedler; vice president, Ruth E. Farris; secretary-treasurer, Rose A. Geiser; song-recreation leader, Norma Fiedler; reporter, Rose Geiser.

After the business session, musical numbers were given by Ross Geiser, "Majestic Sweetness Sits Enthroned," and Norma Fiedler, "Green Forest Waltz."

The next meeting will be on May 18 at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. D. J. Geiser.

## Doubts Television Replace The Movies

KANSAS CITY, May 16—(P)—Americans like to go places and see others, and that's the reason television never will replace the movies, according to Mrs. Irene Kuhn, assistant director of information for the National Broadcasting Company.

Speaking before the Kansas City Advertising and Sales Executives Club Monday Mrs. Kuhn predicted a future battle between the movies and television. People may be interested in home movies for a time, she said, but said they would revert to the theater and a soft drink afterward at the corner drug store.

## Bounty for Wolves

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## COMMUNITY NEWS from

### Windsor

**Mrs. W. T. Jordan**

Miss Evelyn Kramer, daughter of Mrs. G. R. Kramer of Windsor, and Mr. Marion Buel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Buel of near Windsor, were married the noon of May 6 at Olathe, Kas., and came to Windsor Sunday evening. The bride will be graduated from Windsor high school this spring. Mr. Buel will leave the last of May for naval service and his wife will continue her work at the Wanda Beauty shop.

The H. B. M. club met Friday night with Mrs. Beverly Van Slyke. A dessert course was served before the bridge games began. Mrs. Lloyd Merryfield received club award, Mrs. James Deakins low, and Mrs. Ross Kelsey guest award. Mrs. Haggard, Mrs. Cole and Mrs. Arlo Vincent were guests.

The auxiliary of the V. F. W. met Tuesday evening at the I. O. O. F. hall for a social gathering. A present dish lunch was served.

The American Legion Auxiliary met Friday evening at the Legion hall with Mrs. Orvin Whittom conducting the lesson on "Poppies." Hostesses were Mrs. Nellie Gladfelter and Mrs. Charles Weintz.

Mrs. Buford Van Slyke and Miss Elaine Ackers, two candidates were initiated at the meeting of the O. E. S. Friday evening. A social hour followed.

The Women's Society of Christian Service met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. E. Wesner, who was assisted by Mrs. Hughey Johnston and Miss Mabel Carpenter.

Mrs. J. G. Schweitzer, leader, presented the program. Mrs. Marvin Oakes and Mrs. Virgil Twyman were received as new members. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. T. C. Moffett was hostess to the same organization the preceding Friday afternoon. Mrs. Weideman conducted the devotional and Mrs. John Pattison spoke on the topic "Christian Ventures in Learning and Living."

Twenty-five members were present at the regular monthly meeting of the U. M. U. Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. A. Blackmore. Mrs. W. C. Boney was leader and Miss Cora Hall had the devotional.

The seniors, with their sponsors, Misses Marie Miller and Dorothy Matters, enjoyed Hobo day at Montserrat Friday.

Mrs. R. R. Kaylor entertained the J. B. club Friday evening at two tables of bridge. A dessert course was served. Mrs. Virgil Poncin received high score, Mrs.

## Theatres Aid WAC Recruiting

Participating in the current drive for enlistments in the Women's Army Corps, the motion picture industry and its 16,000 theatres all over the country are sponsoring a "Women's Army Corps Recruiting Week," starting May 11th through the 17th.

Under the chairmanship of Edward L. Alperson, the Motion Picture WAC Recruiting Week will stimulate WAC enlistments, through an all-out campaign involving every branch of the film industry. Studios are now preparing special shorts and trailers about the Women's Army Corps, which will be shown in every one of the nation's theatres.

In addition, WAC recruiting will be done directly by the theatres with many formal induction ceremonies taking place on the theatre stages.

As in the many previous campaigns sponsored by the War Activities Committee of the Motion Picture Industry, the Women's Army Corps Recruiting Week is being conducted solely to further the country's war effort.

May Ira low, and Mrs. W. Whitworth, travel award.

The Progressive club met Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. George Gray with Mrs. Frank Hughes assisting hostess. Mrs. Walton Elbert had the lesson on "Conservation," and Mrs. James McCampbell presided over the business meeting. New members are Mrs. Gene Chipman and Mrs. Henry Taylor.

George Smith of Waterloo, Ia., has been visiting relatives and friends in Windsor and Green Ridge.

Ross Marshall's had a dinner recently for Warren and Moss Miller, who are leaving for the navy in a few days.

Mrs. Roy B. Marshall received a message recently notifying her of the death of an aunt at Grand Forks, N. D., last week.

The Fidelis class of the Baptist church gave a one o'clock covered dish luncheon May 4 at the home of Mrs. Albert Sutherland in honor of Mrs. R. E. Feaster, who has been the teacher of this class for the past 26 years. Mrs. Feaster and the seven original members, Mesdames John Lewis, Frank Jackson, R. H. Wells, William Sample, Virgil Bell, Ross Marshall, Frank Jackson and Miss Mary Head were seated at the guest table which was decorated for the occasion. Mrs. Feaster was given a large corsage. A program was presented after the luncheon. Mrs. Feaster was also presented with a silver service celery tray representing her silver anniversary as teacher. The past 25 years of the class' history was read and Mrs. Julie Wall gave a reading, "A Boy and His Dog."

The P. E. O. Chapter held its regular meeting Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. E. Wesner, who was assisted by Mrs. Hughey Johnston and Miss Mabel Carpenter.

Mrs. J. G. Schweitzer, leader, presented the program. Mrs. Marvin Oakes and Mrs. Virgil Twyman were received as new members. Refreshments were served.

The Dorcas group met at the home of Mrs. Effie Christian with 13 present. Mrs. John Patton was assisting hostess. Mrs. Harold Bunnell had the devotional. A talk was given by Mrs. Weideman.

The group B held a meeting at the home of Mrs. Louis County with 18 present. Mrs. Mattie Bradley had the devotional. The remainder of the afternoon was spent in quilting.

Mr. Ralph Allen and wife left Friday for McCall, N. Car.

Jesse Sims went to St. Louis Friday of last week to meet Mrs. James Deakins and son of Decatur, Ala. Mrs. Deakins will be with her husband indefinitely while her husband is in the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Marti entertained Thursday evening at their home on Phelps street in

## Burden Bearer



Vehicles for transport of goods are scarce in much-bombed Chungking, in addition to which the hillside city's sharp-slanting streets make them impractical. But the Chinese inhabitants carry on their daily lives, resorting to human burden bearers, like the old woman above, who totes a heavy bag of flour up one of Chungking's many steep "stair-streets."

## Finds Flocks of 'Follow Me' Fans



Some months ago, WAC Cpl. Dorothy Auten of 21st Ferrying Group, ATC, at Palm Springs, Calif., was the subject of the photo (inset) which she is pictured holding. Syndicated in newspapers by N.E.A. Service, the photo brought a deluge of fan mail from all over the U. S., England and the South Pacific, including a number of marriage proposals.

an emergency operation for appendicitis Friday morning at Bell Memorial hospital in Kansas City. In the afternoon, Mrs. Ira Mounts took Mrs. Douglas and Patricia to Kansas City to be with her.

The Parent-Teacher association, at its recent meeting in the auditorium, was entertained by a program conducted by Mrs. John Patterson. Pledges were given by pupils of Mrs. Hamm. They voted a picnic for the teachers to be held at the park sometime during the last week of school.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bowen moved last week with their parents to the Emma Ellis property on East Jackson street formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Everett Marti. Mrs. Marti has moved with her sister, Mrs. Jesse, while their husbands are in military service.

Slight damage resulted to the 1932 Plymouth coach of M. S. Alvis which caught fire from a short in the wiring at 3:04 o'clock Monday afternoon at Sixth street and Ohio avenue. Firemen extinguished the blaze.

**Coach on Fire**  
Monday afternoon vagrancy charges were filed against Alice Redmond, Negress, who was arrested Sunday night by police officers here. She is at liberty under bond to await trial of her case on May 26.

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